

REMARKS

Claim 10 has been canceled without prejudice. Claims 1, 5, 7, 11, 12, 16, 18 and 19 have been amended. Claims 1-9 and 11-20 are currently pending. Reexamination and allowance of the pending claims is respectfully requested.

First, even though Applicant does not agree with the obviousness-type double-patenting rejection, Applicant is submitting herewith a Terminal Disclaimer to overcome this rejection.

Second, claims 5-7, 10-12, 16 and 18-19 were only rejected under the obviousness-type double-patenting rejection. Therefore, Applicant has rewritten claims 5, 7, 11, 12, 16, 18 and 19 into independent form incorporating all the limitations of all the base claim (claim 1) and any intervening claims (e.g., claim 3). In addition, independent claim 1 has been amended to include the limitations of claim 10, which has been canceled.

Thus, all pending claims are now submitted to be in condition for allowance. The Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned if there are informalities that can be resolved in a phone conversation, or if the Examiner has any ideas or suggestions for further advancing the prosecution of this case.

Respectfully Submitted,


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